

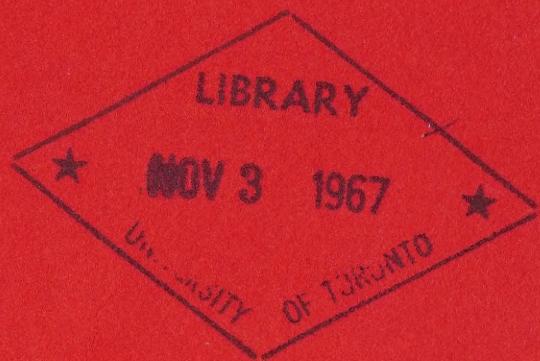
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AND NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

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**TRANSMISSION  
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GENERATING FACILITIES**

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**British Columbia • Yukon  
and Northwest Territories**

**DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND TECHNICAL SURVEYS  
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**HYDRO**

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No.	Development	River	Owner	Year Installed		Rated Head ft.	No. of Units	Turbines		Generators	
				First Unit	Latest Unit			Unit Capacity hp.	Total Capacity hp.	Unit Capacity kw.	Total Capacity kw.

*British Columbia*

1	Kemano	Nechako to Kemano	ALCAN	1954	1958	2,500	4	150,000 150,000	1,050,000	97,600 105,600	707,200
2	Bridge River No. 2	Bridge to Seton Lake	BCHPA	1959	1960	1,264	4	82,000	328,000	62,000	248,000
3	Waneta	Pend d'Oreille	CMSC	1954	1963	210	1	130,000 120,000	370,000	72,000 72,000	216,000
4	Bridge River No. 1	Bridge to Seton Lake	BCHPA	1948	1954	1,264	4	69,000	276,000	45,000	180,000
5	Cheakamus	Cheakamus to Squamish	BCHPA	1957	1957	954	2	95,000	190,000	70,000	140,000
6	John Hart	Campbell	BCHPA	1947	1953	390	6	28,000	168,000	20,000	120,000
7	Ruskin	Stave	BCHPA	1930	1950	123	3	47,000	141,000	35,200	105,600
8	Brilliant	Kootenay	CMSC	1944	1949	90	3	37,000	111,000	27,200	81,600
9	Wahleach	Wahleach Lake to Fraser	BCHPA	1952	-	1,880	1	82,000	82,000	60,000	60,000
10	Upper Bonnington	Kootenay	CMSC	1907	1940	70	2	8,000 9,000 26,000	86,000	5,062 6,750 15,750	55,124
11	Ladore Falls	Campbell	BCHPA	1956	1957	122	2	35,000	70,000	27,000	54,000
12	Stave Falls	Stave	BCHPA	1912	1925	110	4	13,000 15,000	67,000	10,500 10,500	52,500
13	Lake Buntzen No. 1	Lake Buntzen to Burrard Inlet	BCHPA	1951	-	380	1	70,000	70,000	50,000	50,000
14	South Slocan	Kootenay	CMSC	1928	1929	70	3	25,000	75,000	15,750	47,250
15	Lower Bonnington	Kootenay	WKPL	1925	1926	70	3	20,000	60,000	15,750	47,250
16	Seton	Seton Creek	BCHPA	1956	-	147	1	58,500	58,500	42,000	42,000
17	Corra Linn	Kootenay	CMSC	1932	1932	53	3	19,000	57,000	13,500	40,500
18	Whatshan	Whatshan	BCHPA	1951	1956	690	3	16,500	49,500	11,250	33,750
19	Strathcona	Campbell	BCHPA	1958	-	140	1	42,000	42,000	33,750	33,750
20	Stillwater	Lois	MBPR	1930	1948	-	2	25,000	50,000	16,200	32,400
21	Clowhom Falls	Clowhom	BCHPA	1958	-	145	1	40,000	40,000	30,000	30,000
22	Puntledge	Puntledge	BCHPA	1955	-	340	1	35,000	35,000	27,000	27,000
23	Lake Buntzen No. 2	Lake Buntzen to Burrard Inlet	BCHPA	1913	1919	380	3	13,500	40,500	8,900	26,700
24	Jordan River	Jordan	BCHPA	1911	1931	1,010	2	5,430 10,125 18,000	38,985	3,200 8,000 12,000	26,400
25	Ash River	Ash	BCHPA	1959	-	735	1	35,000	35,000	25,200	25,200
26	La Joie	Bridge	BCHPA	1957	-	176	1	30,000	30,000	22,000	22,000
27	Powell River	Powell	MBPR	1911	1926	157	1	13,500 3,600 3,000	23,100	12,000 3,750 2,800	21,350
28	Elko	Elk	EKPC	1923	1924	190	2	7,500	15,000	6,000	12,000
29	Falls River	Big Falls Creek	BCHPA	1930	1960	248	2	6,000	12,000	4,800	9,600

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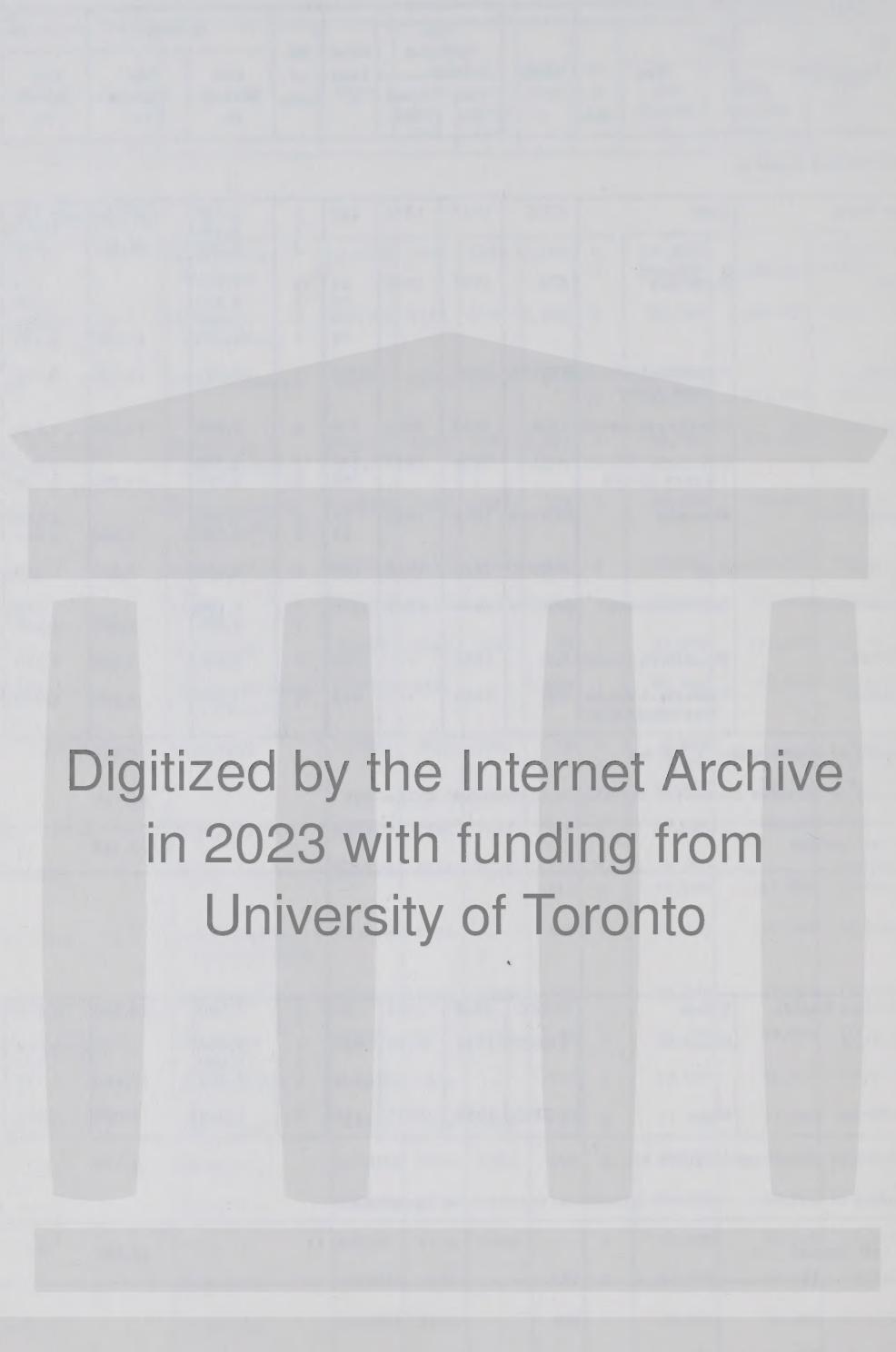
30	Ocean Falls	Link	CZC	1917	1932	150	1 1 2	2,100 2,100 6,300	16,800	1,720 1,750 4,200	11,870
31	Nelson	Kootenay	CN	1907	1950	60 60 70 70	1 1 1 1	1,670 1,900 3,000 6,750	13,320	750 1,000 2,120 4,800	8,670
32	Alouette	Alouette Lake to Stave Lake	BCHPA	1928	-	125.5	1	12,500	12,500	8,000	8,000
33	Walter Hardman	Cranberry Creek	COR	1960	1965	770	2	5,800	11,600	4,000	8,000
34	Beach	Britannia Creek Furry Creek	ACL	1916	1917	1,835 760	2 1	3,750 3,750	11,250	2,000 2,000	6,000
35	Shuswap Falls	Shuswap	BCHPA	1929	1942	72 82	1 1	3,800 4,000	7,800	2,400 2,800	5,200
36	Aberfeldie	Bull	EKPC	1922	1922	275	2	3,650	7,300	2,500	5,000
37	Spillimacheen	Spillimacheen	BCHPA	1955	1955	207	2 1	1,200 3,000	5,400	900 2,200	4,000
38	Woodfibre	Woodfibre Creek	RC	1947	-	920	1	3,650	3,650	2,250	2,250
39	Port Alice	Victoria Lake to Neroutsos Inlet	RC	1953	-	425	1	3,200	3,200	2,000	2,000
Total capacity of plants under 1,500 kw.										11,995	7,848
Total capacity of turbines connected directly to mechanical equipment										41,710	
Total (all plants)										3,817,110	2,616,012

*Yukon*

1	Whitehorse Rapids	Yukon	NCPC	1958	1958	61	2	7,500	15,000	5,695	11,390
2	North Fork	Klondike	YCCG	1911	1935	220	1 1 1	5,000 5,000 5,000	15,000	3,600 2,700 3,750	10,050
3	Mayo River	Mayo	NCPC	1952	1957	110	2	3,000	6,000	2,550	5,100
Total capacity of plants under 1,500 kw.										2,140	1,650
Total capacity of turbines connected directly to mechanical equipment										-	
Total (all plants)										38,140	28,190

*Northwest Territories*

1	Taltson	Taltson	NCPC	1965	-	-	1	25,000	25,000	18,000	18,000
2	Snare Falls	Snare	NCPC	1960	-	63	1	9,200	9,200	7,000	7,000
3	Snare Rapids	Snare	NCPC	1948	-	56	1	8,350	8,350	7,000	7,000
4	Bluefish Lake	Yellowknife	CMSC	1941	-	110	1	4,700	4,700	3,360	3,360
Total capacity of plants under 1,500 kw.										-	-
Total capacity of turbines connected directly to mechanical equipment										-	
Total (all plants))										47,250	35,360



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**THERMAL**

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No.	Station	Location	Owner	Year Installed		Fuel	Type of Prime Mover	Generators		
				First Unit	Latest Unit			No.	Unit Capacity kw.	Total Capacity kw.

***British Columbia***

1	Burrard	Vancouver	BCHPA	1962	1965	Gas, oil	S	3	150,000	450,000
2	Port Mann	New Westminster	BCHPA	1959	1959	Oil	GT	4	25,000	100,000
3	Georgia	Chemainus	BCHPA	1958	1959	Oil	GT	2	19,750	
								2	18,000	75,500
4	Harmac	Nanaimo	MB PR	1954	1963	Oil, wood-waste	S	1	31,500	
								1	4,000	
								1	1,250	36,750
5	Prince George	Prince George	BCHPA	1957	1963	Gas, oil	GT	1	6,000	
							IC	7	3,000	27,000
6	Somass Mill	Port Alberni	MB PR	1963	-	Wood-waste	S	1	26,000	26,000
7	Chetwynd	Chetwynd	BCHPA	1958	1965	Gas, oil	IC	2	600	
								1	800	
								1	1,000	
								4	3,000	
							GT	1	6,000	21,000
8	Dawson Creek	Dawson Creek	BCHPA	1953	1963	Gas, oil	IC	2	1,000	
								6	3,000	20,000
9	Port Alice	Port Alice	RC	1942	1957	Oil, wood-waste	S	1	3,200	
								2	3,500	
								1	6,000	16,200
10	Watson Island	Watson Island	CCC	1950	1950	Oil, wood-waste	S	2	7,500	15,000
11	Powell River	Powell River	MB PR	1948	1960	Wood-waste, oil	S	1	1,350	
								1	1,200	
								1	10,500	
								1	1,875	14,925
12	Ocean Falls	Ocean Falls	CZC	1930	1950	Oil, wood-waste	S	1	3,000	
								1	2,000	
								1	4,000	
								1	5,000	14,000
13	New Westminster	New Westminster	CZB	1912	1950	Wood-waste	S	1	5,000	
								1	1,500	
								1	6,000	12,500
14	Eburne Sawmills	Vancouver	CFP	1960	1960	Wood-waste	S	2	5,750	11,500
15	Kitimat	Kitimat	ALCAN	1954	1959	Oil	IC	8	1,000	8,000
16	Taylor	Taylor	PP	1957	1957	Gas	S	3	2,500	7,500
17	Kelowna	Kelowna	SMS	1950	1963	Wood-waste, oil, coal	S	1	750	
								1	2,000	
								1	3,500	
								1	1,000	7,250
18	Woodfibre	Woodfibre	RC	1948	1961	Oil, wood-waste	S	2	2,000	
								1	3,000	7,000
19	Smithers	Smithers	BCHPA	1951	1965	Oil	IC	2	560	
								1	760	
								2	1,000	
								1	3,000	6,880
20	Dry Dock	Prince Rupert	BCHPA	1950	1963	Oil	IC	3	800	
								1	1,970	
								1	2,034	6,404

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				First Unit	Latest Unit			No.	Unit Capacity kw.	Total Capacity kw.
BRITISH COLUMBIA (Cont'd)										
21	Mica Creek	Mica	BCHPA	1965	1965	Oil	IC	1 2 1	675 1,000 2,500	5,175
22	Port Mellon	Port Mellon	CFP	1928	1947	Oil	S	1 1 1	500 1,500 3,000	5,000
23	Semi-mobile unit No. 87	-	BCHPA	1965	-	Oil	IC	1	5,000	5,000
24	Vancouver	Vancouver	MB PR	1949	1956	Wood-waste	S	1 1	750 4,000	4,750
25	Kimberley (Stand-by)	Kimberley	CMSC	1927	1928	Coal	S	3	1,500	4,500
26	Kamloops	Kamloops	BCHPA	1953	1953	Gas, oil	IC	2 1	1,000 2,500	4,500
27	Victoria	Victoria	BCFP	1940	1950	Wood-waste, oil	S	1 1	3,000 1,500	4,500
28	Youbou	Youbou	BCFP	1929	1958	Wood-waste	S	1 2 1	800 750 2,000	4,300
29	Burns Lake	Burns Lake	BCHPA	1954	1965	Oil	IC	1 4 2	800 250 1,136	4,072
30	Hammond	Hammond	BCFP	1928	1929	Wood-waste	S	2	2,000	4,000
31	Chemainus	Chemainus	MB PR	1925	1950	Wood-waste, oil	S	1 1	3,000 750	3,750
32	Vancouver	Vancouver	BCSRC	1947	1960	Gas, oil	S	3	1,250	3,750
33	Cassiar	Cassiar	CAC	1952	1964	Oil	IC	3 2 1 1 1	300 350 450 650 973	3,673
34	Hazelton	Hazelton	BCHPA	1965	1965	Oil	IC	3 2 1 1	700 600 250 100	3,650
35	Jedway	Jedway	JIOC	-	-	Oil	IC	3 1	1,004 225	3,237
36	Fort Nelson	Fort Nelson	BCHPA	1960	1960	Oil, gas	IC	1 1 1 1 1	1,200 600 261 100 1,000	3,161
37	Honeymoon Bay	Honeymoon Bay	WFI	1949	1961	Oil	S	1 1	1,000 2,000	3,000
38	Port Hardy	Port Hardy	BCHPA	1959	1965	Oil	IC	1 1 2 1	600 500 300 1,000	2,700
39	Mesachie Lake	Mesachie Lake	HLC	1943	1949	Wood-waste	S	1 1 1	1,600 750 260	2,610
40	Endako	Endako	EM	1964	1964	Oil	IC	1 1	1,250 1,000	2,250

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BRITISH COLUMBIA (Cont'd)										
41	Revelstoke	Revelstoke	COR	1926	1954	Oil	IC	2	300	
								1	400	
								1	1,000	2,000
42	Wells	Wells	CGQM	1936	1955	Oil	IC	1	350	
								2	300	
								1	125	
								2	250	
								2	150	1,875
43	Tide Camp	Stewart	GM	1965	1965	Oil	IC	2	500	
								2	400	
										1,800
44	Giscome	Giscome	ELS	1951	1956	Wood-waste, oil	S IC	1	1,500	
								1	300	
										1,800
45	McBride	McBride	BCHPA	1951	1957	Oil, gas	IC	3	600	
46	Vanderhoof	Vanderhoof	BCHPA	1953	1955	Oil	IC	1	600	
								1	1,000	
										1,600
Total capacity of plants 1,500 kw. and over (not listed above)										7,500
Total capacity of plants under 1,500 kw.										41,075
Total (all plants)										1,020,437

## Northwest Territories

1	Port Radium	Port Radium	EMR	1936	1953	Oil	IC	2	150	
								1	864	
								2	650	
								2	400	
								1	175	
								1	200	3,639
2	Frobisher Bay	Frobisher Bay	NCPC	1963	1963	Oil	IC	1	1,000	
								1	960	
							GT	1	1,500	3,460
3	Inuvik	Inuvik	NCPC	1957	1963	Oil	IC	2	375	
								1	150	
								1	960	
								1	1,000	
							S	1	600	3,460
4	Fort Smith	Fort Smith	NCPC	1955	1962	Oil	IC	1	280	
								1	600	
								1	1,000	
								1	392	
								1	960	3,232
5	Hay River	Hay River	NU					1	275	
								1	300	
								1	650	
								1	500	1,725
6	Tungsten	Tungsten	CTMC	1962	1962	Oil	IC	3	500	1,500
Total capacity of plants 1,500 kw. and over (not listed above)										-
Total capacity of plants under 1,500 kw.										9,412
Total (all plants)										26,428

## Yukon

Total capacity of plants 1,500 kw. and over (not listed above)										-
Total capacity of plants under 1,500 kw.										3,910
Total (all plants)										3,910

GT - Gas Turbine, IC - Internal Combustion, S - Steam

## **OWNER CODE INDEX**

CODE	OWNER
ACL . . . . .	Anaconda Company (Canada) Limited
ALCAN . . . . .	Aluminum Company of Canada Limited
BCFP . . . . .	British Columbia Forest Products Limited
BCHPA . . . . .	British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority
BCSRC . . . . .	British Columbia Sugar Refining Company Limited
CAC . . . . .	Cassiar Asbestos Corporation Limited
CCC . . . . .	Columbia Cellulose Company Limited
CFP . . . . .	Canadian Forest Products Limited
CGQM . . . . .	Cariboo Gold Quartz Mining Company Limited
CMSC . . . . .	Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. of Canada Ltd.
CN . . . . .	City of Nelson
COR . . . . .	City of Revelstoke
CTMC . . . . .	Canada Tungsten Mining Corporation Limited
CZB . . . . .	Crown Zellerbach Building Materials Limited
CZC . . . . .	Crown Zellerbach Canada Limited
EKPC . . . . .	East Kootenay Power Company Limited
ELS . . . . .	Eagle Lake Sawmills Company Limited
EM . . . . .	Endako Mines Limited
EMR . . . . .	Eldorado Mining and Refining Limited
GM . . . . .	Granduc Mines Limited
HLC . . . . .	Hillcrest Lumber Company Limited
JIOC . . . . .	Jedway Iron Ore Company Limited
MBPR . . . . .	MacMillan Bloedel and Powell River Limited
NCPC . . . . .	Northern Canada Power Commission
PP . . . . .	Pacific Petroleum Company Limited
RC . . . . .	Rayonier Canada (BC) Limited
SMS . . . . .	S. M. Simpson Limited
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